

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 10/815,747	Applicant(s) TERRY ET AL.	
	Examiner Gailene R. Gabel	Art Unit 1641	

All Participants:

(1) Gailene R. Gabel.

(2) Dana Tangren.
Status of Application: _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

Date of Interview: 12 October 2006
Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No
 If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:
of record.

Claims discussed:
1-19

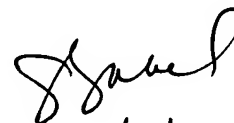
Prior art documents discussed:
NONE

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:
See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


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 (Examiner/SPE Signature)

 (Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Examiner suggested claim language to Applicant to render the claims allowable. Claims 2 and 10 were amended to incorporate the limitation encompassing growth of the cells on the porous membrane matrix, into the method steps to give it patentable weight, and also to recite that the detector layer of cells is overlain with a liquid layer to allow diffusion of the test compounds through the porous membrane into the cells. Claims 4-8, 11-13, and 15-19 were also amended to correct improper multiple dependencies.